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Mr. William F. Caton Acting Secretary Federal Communications Commission 1919 M Street, NW, Room 222 Washington, D. C. 20554

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Re: Ex Parte Presentation - CC Docket 96-98

Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions
of the Telecommunications Act of 1996

Dear Mr. Caton:

On Friday, June 28, 1996, at the request of the Commission, representatives of Beechwood Data Systems, Bell Atlantic and AT&T made a joint presentation to Mr. S. Kupinsky, Mr. A. Ros, and Mr. R. Tanner, of the CCB Policy and Planning Division, to discuss electronic gateways and interfaces in connection with the above referenced proceeding. Bell Atlantic was represented by Ms. P. Koch, Mr. J. Pachuski and Mr. D. Swan. Beechwood Data Systems was represented by Mr. P. Hummel and Mr. R. Riedel. AT&T was represented by Ms. B. Brady, Ms. K. Weis and me. The attachments were used as the basis of the presentation.

Because the meeting was held late in the day, two (2) copies of this Notice are being submitted on the following business day to the Secretary of the FCC in accordance with Section 1.1206(a)(2) of the Commission's Rules.

Sincerely,

Bruce K. Cox

**Attachments** 

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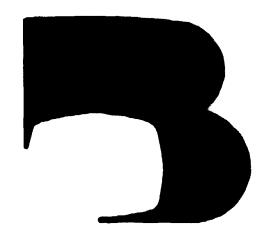
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cc: Mr. S. Kupinsky (w/ attach.)
Mr. A. Ros (w/ attach.)
Mr. R. Tanner (w/ attach.)
Ms. P. Koch
Mr. J. Pachuski

Mr. D. Swan

Mr. P. Hummel

Mr. R. Riedel Ms. B. Brady Ms. K. Weis



#### BEECHWOOD DATA SYSTEMS

Presentation to the FCC

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# **Beechwood Data Systems Presentation to the FCC**

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Paul Hummel, Executive Vice President Bob Riedel, Director

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# Beechwood Data Systems

#### **Statistics:**

- Headquartered in Clark, NJ
- Established in 1984, incorporated in 1987
- 275+ Employees

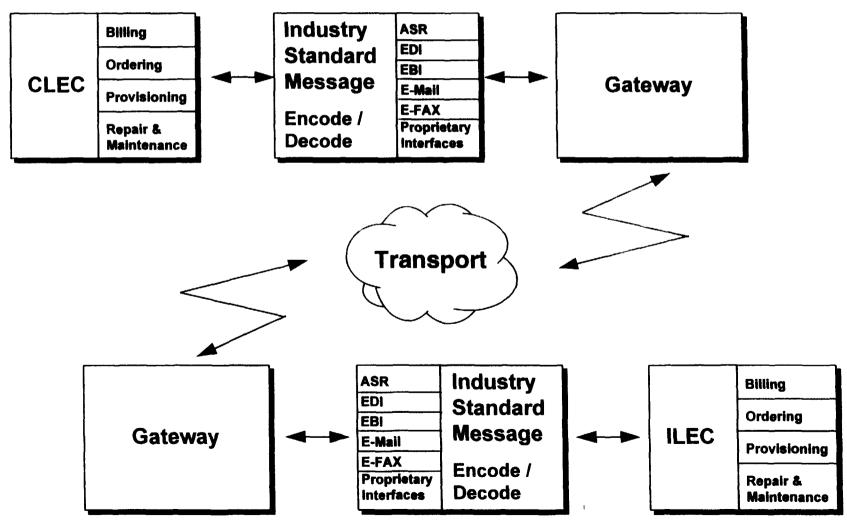
#### **Clients Include:**

- RBOCs
- Interexchange Carriers
- CAPs
- ICOs

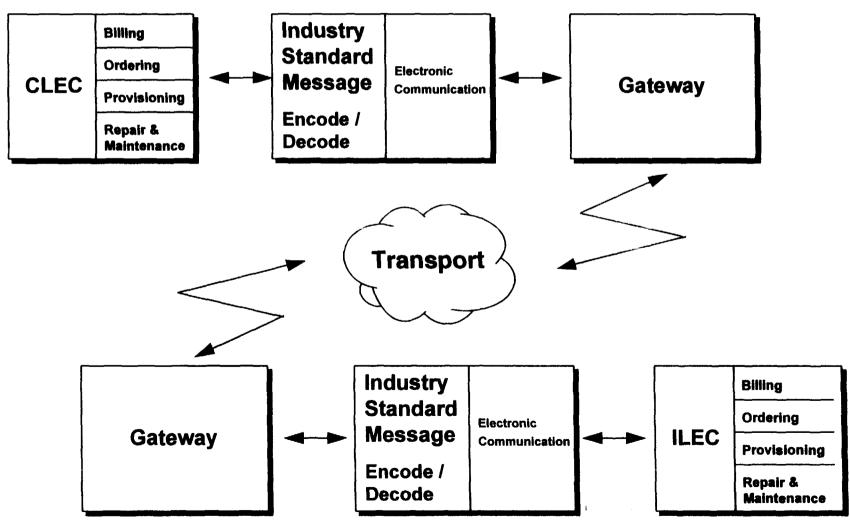
#### **Products & Services:**

- Access Ordering
- Billing
- Provisioning
- Customer Account Maintenance
- Electronic Communications

## Electronic Interfaces



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# Where is This Technology Used?

Beechwood utilizes this technology in many of its solutions:

- Trouble Administration Systems
- DCAS
- ECIP
- TELIS / ECOES



# Electronic Interfaces' Scalability

Beechwood's electronic interfaces are constructed for users at all levels.

- from largest Tier 1 to smallest "Mom & Pop" phone company
- any phone company with a computer and a modem can utilize Beechwood's applications over industry standard electronic interfaces.



#### National Standards

- Need for certain national standards and conformity.
- Industry Standards organizations have been successful in developing implementation guidelines to exchange business data.
- Work is currently underway in various national Industry Standards forums.
- Implementation pressures versus national industry standard process.

